

River Recreation Advisory For Tomorrow (RRAFT)



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→ Charter

The members of the River Recreation Advisory For Tomorrow Committee (RRAFT) serve by appointment of the FWP Director and are tasked with developing recommendations for managing recreation on rivers in west-central Montana, including Rock Creek and the Bitterroot, Blackfoot, and Clark Fork rivers.

FWP has asked the RRAFT members to assist with the development of a recreation management plan for the Blackfoot River that includes short and long-term strategies for managing recreation on the river and adjacent access sites.

FWP has asked the RRAFT members to consider recommendations that can be applied on other rivers in west-central Montana where recreation management is becoming a high priority.

It is imperative that the RRAFT's recommendations reflect the interests of its members, the interests of the public that recreates on rivers in west-central Montana, and the interests of public that is affected by river recreation management on these rivers. These recommendations should support the tradition of preserving the quality of the river resources and recreational experiences over a range of recreational opportunities.

It is imperative that the RRAFT members use a process that encourages civility, trust, and respect. Listening to and integrating each person's interests is paramount to the success of the process.

The FWP statewide river recreation rules apply to the process of developing management plans or rules for river recreation. FWP has asked the RRAFT members to comply with these statewide rules.